ANDREW PRICE,

Marlinton, Friday, Nov. 26, 1897 Entered at the post-office at Marlin on, W. Va., as second class matter.

EIGHT deaths and 268 injured players was the list of killed, wounded, and missing for one week's football playing in western Pennsylvania, where the game is deservedly popular. Yale defeated berland and Alex. Armstrong, two Princeton, and Pennsylvania, Harvard, last Saturday. No fatalities reported. West Virginia University defeats Bethany at Fairmont, Mill Point, on the night of Januascore 30-0. Yeager kicked every goal. No loss of life, but a good deal of bloodshed.

London has just experienced the fire of 1666. The fire started from in Pocahontas county, along with most disastrous fire since the grea an explosion of a gas engine. Twenty minutes elapsed before a fireman was on the scene. The fire positions of some ten or more perwas in the ware - house region. The loss is estimated to be at least \$25,000,000. It is the largest fire on January 3, others that they saw to have been in Marietta was provthe world has experienced since them on the morning of the fifth. the great Chicago fire of 1872. Their testimony was very strong, lieved. Men who had known him, was thought out, and which will The church of St. Giles, which and is said to have been given by contains the tombs of John Milton contains the tombs of John Milton and John Fox, was badly damaged.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY has had ba could furnish out of the miscelsympathy should be exercised to the fourth. keep them from scenes of confused noise and garments rolled in blood.

Last week arrangements were Vista Cloth Mills. They have been day before or the day following. their contract. And if the work which evidence was true.' proves satisfactory, the Philadelphians will purchase the mill and Governor should know that in the will run it in the future. Quite a number of persons will be given employment.

F. of West Virginia was in session proceeding was very much the at Clarksburg last week. Wheel. same in all the cases. In 1891 two ing is the place of meeting in 1898 men attempted to rob the store at cent occurrence is that of the It was resolved to build a \$50,000 Bu keye. The store-keeper resist- Bishop of Majorca. His fame home in West Virginia, and a ed, and a negro named Underwood rests upon the fact when he ex-George C. Sturgiss, Morgantown; Eastbank; Grand Secretary, E. A. ville.

At the Lord Mayor's banquet a at the point of a pistol, terrorized, when they tried to obtain money few days since the British Premier and robbed by two men just after from Eli Ballenger, who lives in made a speech which would be the dark. In the Brown robbery and the suburbs of this town. sensation of the day were it not the Edgar robbery the thieves knocked and asked him for a drink for so many other exciting events stole horses from the same farm of water. He started toward the now transpiring. In reference to each time and rode them to within kitchen to get the water, and then British policy, he said: "Our ob- a few miles of the railroad and the three men jumped upon him. jects are strictly business. We abandoned them. wish to extend trade, commerce, In 1895, two negroes walked by stuffing a handkerchief into his industry, and civilization; to throw through the Levels one wintry, mouth. open as many markets as possible, snowy day, nor stopped to speak Next they proceeded to search and to bring together as many con- to any man or enter any store or the house for money, but only and to bring together as many con-sumers and producers as possible, house either in Hillsboro or Mill ed and believing that a large and to open the grand natural Point. If aman in Greenbrier had amount was hidden somewhere on highways and waterways of Africa. not recognized Alex. Armstrong. the remises, they told Mr Ballen In doing these things, while we who was raised in Pocahontas, they ger that they would burn him alive wish to behave in a neighborly would in all probability have esmanner and to show due considercaped notice. He sent word that
60 cents was positively all the monation for the feelings and claims "Alex." was coming, and Alex. had ey in the house, but they did not as Scott's and we sell it much entitled to redeem. of others, we are obliged to say that there is a limit to the exercise of this particular set of feelings, They were armed to the teeth, and to his feet in an effort to force him to tell. and we cannot allow our plain if their mission here was a peace. to tell. rights to be over-ridden." This ful one, their appearance and their means 'get what you can and keep arms belied it. Armstrong had still protested that he had no more what you get" in reference to all passed the houses of his kin and money, they put the gag back in the great rivers of Africa, except his color without greeting anyone. his mouth, and, locking the door, probably the Congo. Other pow- He had spent the most of his life and hours in freeing himself and ers, notably France, Italy, and in the county, and had worked at then gave the alarm. Germany, -want the same territo- most of the farm-houses, but he Mr Ballenger is over eighty years ry, and they will not regard this as slinked through the community in old and has lived alone for the past a "neighborly" way of speaking which he had claimed not to have twenty years. He is in a critical and doing. Lord Salisbury is to visited for a dozen years, without condition and it is feared that he be complimented for his honesty accosting anyone. Their faces were not give any description of the robin saying that his policy is strictly muffled up, but that could be nobers except that they were white business, and not talking in a hyporocritical way about civiliting and the day. On the persons of these today offered a reward of \$150 for are in the habit of doing.

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ARMSTRONG & CUMBERLAND.

The article printed below, from fear Alex. Armstrong as they do nothing else in the world:

"Governor Atkinson had before him yesterday the most difficult case which he has had to determine since he has been Governor. It is the question of whether or not he should pardon Frank Cum-

"Armstrong formerly lived in Pocahontas County, and was wellknown there. He went from there to Marietta, Ohio, but a few days after the robbery he was arrested Frank Cumberland, whose home was in Marietta, and they were convicted. At their trial the desons in Marietta were read, some of these parties swearing that they saw both the negroes in Marietta

"On the other hand, some twenty testified just as positively that it in his power to provoke a war, they recognized the prisoners as and yet he has wisely refrained. It the men who committed the rob would have been very unwise to bery. Many of them knew Armhave gone into a large and terrible war to end a little war, comparation of the marietta people. There is the most ditively. Then, too, our American rect and positive evidence that the young men are more precious in negroes committed the robbery on our estimation than anything Cu. the night of January 4, and there is the most direct and positive evianeous misegenated elements that on the third and fifth. and one make up its population, and some man thinks he saw them there on

"Mill Point is 40 miles from the nearest railroad and more than 350 miles from Marietta, so that they could not have committed the robbery on the night of the fourth made to resume work at the Buena and been in Marietta either the

berlake and Miller, the proprietors etta, was in conference with the prosecuting attorney, or jury, then rules to touch it with the foot. Vi ginia, I will commence the dishave contracted to furnish the and gave him additional testimony. We will join in the petition. If he There are many points in favor of charge of my duties under the dehave contracted to furnish the government forty - two thousand from Marietta people to prove the yards of cloth. A cloth-manufac- alibi. But with such conflicting turing firm of Philadelphia has testimony the Governor could not time of the robbery, we can assure college youth has blood in his eye furnished the money to enable the determine whether he should parfurnished the money to enable the Buena Vista company to meet their contract. And if the work which aridance was true." him that their presence nere was and will not be satisfied by any less bloody game after having believe in the lands, or any of them their contract. And if the work which aridance was true."

To understand the case fully the early nineties this county experienced a series of bold robberies that bore the marks of being com-THE grand lodge of the I. O. O. mitted by the same hand. The committee was appointed to choose who lived near came to the rescue communicated Senor Revertor, the a site. The election of officers re. and was killed by the assailants. late Spanish minister of finance, sulted as follows: Grand Master, In 1892, N. J. Brown was attacked he really brought about the late in his store at Mill Point, just as change of administration in Spain he was about to close for the day, that has made matters so interesttencutter, Kanawha county; Grand who beat him into insensibility ing the past few weeks between Warden, Dr C. M. Cummings, and robbed his safe of a large the United States and Spain. amount of money. In 1893, the WEST VIRGINIA STATE NEWS Billingslea, Fairmont; Grand Tre- house of Andrew Dilley, at Dilleys asurer, Henry Seaman, Mounds. Mill, was ransacked one evening about 8 o'clock. In 1894, the family of Captain Edgar was held up was that of three men last night

christianizing the natives of A'ri- negroes was found a bottle of gunca, as so many political Pharisees powder, a bottle of vaseline, a billy, and two revolvers. It is the firm belief that their mission here

They explained that they had ome here to play cards at the

game of cards with a negro. of the sort.

Cumberland were in Marietta in did his life.

ed by witnesses who must be be- of years before the college game ty witnesses from Pocahontas coun- fast at daylight on January 5, '94, al law, which will prohibit the his colored waiter.

A good many citizens in the ed. Levels fear that Armstrong will the man believe that he cherishes violated. resentment for years. The writer has heard the threat many times, dence that they were in Marietta and he is of the opinion, that if Armstrong ever shows his face in this county again, after all the circumstances that throng the history of his life here, that there will content to put the ball over the be one negro less in the world very back line and score, but in the oth-

relies on the assertion that the the Association game but it is the robbery at Captain Edgar's.

pardon these men on the evidence presented. He had lived in Poca- that foot-ball legislation is so bihontas, and knew the witnesses who swore to Armstrong's identity.

Among the notable deaths of re-

HINTON, W. VA., Nov. 19 .-- One of the most diabolical attempts at lobbery ever made in this county

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AGAINST FOOTBALL.

The Georgia legislature has passthe Charleston Gazette of Novem- lumber camps for money, but Arm- ed its famous foot-ball law the unber 19, will occasion a good-deal of strong must have known there was usual majorities of 31 to 4 in the apprehension among many of the not a woodsman in Pocahontas Senate and 96 to 2 in the House. sople of Pocahontas county, who county that would sit down to a The Governor does not wish to append his name to it and the bill It is very significant that since will become a law by default. The the arrest of Armstrong and Cum- bill strikes its deadly blow at footberland there has not been a rob- ball by prohibiting games at which bery committed in the county. an admission price is charged. It There have been one or two cases would seem that a Georgia team of sneaking burglary committed, might train and pursue the venbut no more of the "Stand! Deliv- detta by coming to the University negroes who are serving sentences of ifteen and eighteen years, re- of his money, but terrorizes him slain comrade. As is well known er!" sort that not only robs a man of Virginia and avenging their spectively, in the penitentiary for life. Nearly four years have the immediate cause of this decisthe robbery of Colonel Edgar, near passed without any re-occurrence ive action was the killing of Richard Von Gammon of the Universi-The alibi produced by Armstrong ty of Georgia in a game with the was torn all to pieces at the trial, University of Virginia. Strange and unless additional affidavits to say his mother worked against have been filed it does not prove the measure because she said her Table Oilcloth 16c, Over Shirts 19c more than that Armstrong and son loved the game better than he to 60c, Overalls, 35c to 90c, Jeanes

January, 1894, which is not denied For the hundredth time we take berland were seen in Pocahontas that the college game, wrongly and on the road to and from Poca- called Rugby, is a different game Shoes, \$1.25 to \$1.90, Tobaccos, 23c hontas on the dates when he claims from the game we play in Pocahis colored friends, swore to have continue as a manly sport, long afseen him; and a restaurant keeper ter the former has been suppressed at Ronceverte gave him his break- by the intervention of internationand swore to him positively, as did game as a barbarous species of warfare which is not to be tolerat-

The fourth rule of the internapay off all scores. Those acquaint- tional code requiring a humane ed with the vindictive character of system of war is constantly being

> Rule 4.—That the smallest a mount of injury, consistent with self defense, and the sad neccessity of war is to be inflicted.

The Pocahontas game is a better game than the other. We are er game the side has to put the If the Governor can get a peti- man and ball over. With us it is tion to exercise mercy from the a foul to touch the ball with the judge who tried him, from the hand, with them it is against the date by the startling occurrence of which there is all the excitement of war with one hundred per cent day of October, 1897. Governor MacCorkle refused to of the danger.

We feel pratty safe in asserting zarre, that had the Constitutional Commission of this State met in foot-ball season, they would have proposed an amendment prohibiting the playing of football in West Virginia.

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Commissioner's Notice.

Office of S. B. Scott, Jr., Comme. Marlinton, W. Va., Oct. 29, 1897. State of West Virginia . . . Plaintiff

W. F. Allemong, J. B. Blyholder John T. McGraw, Amos Barlow Morgan Messer, and Diana Messer, De fendants.

The plaintiff and each and all of he above named defendants, and all unknown owners and claimants of any part or parcel of the lands mentioned in the plaintiff's bill in the above entitled cause, will take notice that on the

30th day of November, 1897, at my office in the town of Marlinton, county of Pocahontas, West titled cause, a copy of which deprisoners were in Marietta at the needless to enumerate them. The cree is published with this notice. At which time and place you and

S. B. SCOTT, Jr., Commr.

(Copy of Decree. State of West Virginia

J. W. Allemong, et als. In Chancery.

This cause, which has been regularly matured at rules and set for veyed by deed from H. M. Lockhearing, came on this day to be heard on the bill and exhibits there with filed, summons returned duly with their priorities; together with ber 19, 1897. served as to resident defendants and order of publication as to ridge existing on the day aforesaid ed, and completed, the bill taken before him. for confessed, and argument of counsel.

adjudged, ordered, and decreed value since the said 19th day of that this cause be and the same is September, 1891, less taxes and referred to S. B. Scott, Jr., one of permanent improvements, and also he commissioners of this court, to its fee simple value. nquire into and make report to a future term of this court in the following matters and things concern be forfeited, to wit: A tract of stated by any party in interest. 130 acres, a tract of 710 acres, and tract of 1600 acres, and a tract of may attend. 335 acres.

1st-For what year or years said racts or any of them have been forfeited for the non payment of taxes due thereon, and whether the said tracts or any of them have become forfeited to the State of West Virginia for the non payment of taxes due thereon and subject to be sold for the benefit of the school

2d-The amount of taxes, intertheir actual location.

deem pertinent and any of the parties in interest may require.

And it is further ordered that said commissioner before proceed ing to execute this decree shall give notice to the parties interested and all unknown owners and claimants of said land of the time and place when and where he will proceed to execute this decree, which notice shall be published in the Pocahontas Times, a newspaper published in Pocahoutas County, for four suc cessive weeks before commencing

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October 20, 1897. Office of Commissioner in Chancery Andrew Price.

Andrew Herold

Amos Barlow and others. All parties interested in the above styled cause will take notice Special rates made by the week or the undersigned commissioner will on the 20th day of November, 1897, Given under my hand this 29th, at his office in the town of Marlin ton, Pocahontas County, West Virginia, proceed to take, state, settle and adjust the following accounts:

1st - An account of all the debts ER Rep against said H. M. Lockridge existing on the 19th day of September, 1891, showing in said account what debts or charges were lieus or encumbrances on the land couridge et al to Amos Barlow et al, of date September 19, 1891, together all other debts against said Lock-

2d-An account of the real estate conve ed by said deed of Septem Upon consideration whereof it is ber 19, 1891, showing its annual

And report to court together with any other matter specially stated, to take, state, and report to court deemed pertinent by himself, or the following matters of account ing the lands alleged in the bill to which may be required to be so viz: At which time and place you

ANDREW PRICE.

Commissioner.

To all persons holding liens, by judgment or otherwise, on the real estate or any part thereof of H. M. Lockridge:

In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County made in a case therein pending est, damages and costs due on said to subject the real estate of the tracts or any of them and unpaid. said H. M. Lockridge to the satis-3d-Whether the locations of said faction of the liens thereon, you are tracts are ascertainable, and if so hereby required to present all their actual location. land is now vested by forfeiture or which are liens on his real estate or |iel O'Connel : otherwise, and who if any one is any part of it, for adjudication to me at my office in the county of Po-5th-Such other matters and chontas and town of Marlinton, on ber, 1897.

Given under my hand this 20th day of of October, 1897. ANDREW PRICE,

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Office of S. B. Scott, Jr., Commissioner, Marlinton, W. Va., Novem-

Pursuant to a decree of the cirnon residents duly published, post- which may be properly approved cuit court of Pocahoptas county, the 8th October, 1897, entitled-

Thomas L. Coulehan et als.,

Daniel O'Connell,

will proceed at my office in the town of Marlinton, W. Va., on the 20th day of December, 1897,

1st-The hens against the land in the bill and proceedings menloned, with their respective legal dignities and priorities, and especially whether or not the lien retain-NOTICE TO LIEN HOLDERS. ed by N. S. Alderman is an existng lien.

2d-Whether or not the said land will in five years rent for enough to pay out the liens thereon. 3d-Any other matter, etc.

Respectfully, S. B. SCOTT, Jr.,

Comm'r. in Chancery.

NOTICE to LIEN HOLDERS.

To all persons holding liens by judgment or otherwise on the real-4th-In whom the title to said against the said H. M. Lockridge, estate or any part thereof of Dan-

In pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Pocahoutas county. made in a case therein pending tothings as said commissioner may or before the 20th day of Novem- subject the real estate of the said Daniel O'Connell to the satisfaction of the liens thereon, you are hereby requested to present all claims held by you and each of you against the said Daniel O'Connell which are liens against his real estate or any part of it, for adjudication to me at my office in the town of Marlinton, Pocahontas county, West Virginia, on or before the 20th day of December, 1897.

Given under my hand this 19th day of November, 1897. S. B. SCOTT, Jr., Comm'r. in Chancery.

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